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APPLICANT:	Khalidi, Tariq
SERIAL NO.:	09/592,087
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FOR:	Competitive Bidding System and Process

ART UNIT: 3624

EXAMINER: Patel, J.

To: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

ELECTION AND AMENDMENT

Sir:

Responsive to the Examiner's election requirement under 35 U.S.C. §121 provided in the Office Action dated May 13, 2004, kindly enter the following election:

Applicant elects group I (claims 1 through 7 and 12 through 19).

This election is respectfully made with traverse and undersigned requests the Examiner to kindly reconsider his position.

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